

SA986389

Antique Water-Pipe Bag, Qashqa'i - Kaskuli Tribes, Fars Province, South-West Persia.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA986389****Date of manufacture: 1870**

Dimensions

Height = 51 cm (20.1")

Width = 27 cm (10.6")

Description

This must rank as one of the best water-pipe / spoon bags I have ever come across and this one just came out of a private Iranian collection. Woven during the second half of the nineteenth century by a woman of the Kashkuli - Qashqa'i tribes in Fars Province, south-west Persia, the bag is intricately woven on the front face in different techniques of soumak and weft-float brocaded work and comprising lots of tassels symbolising good luck. On the back, an amazing 'eye-dazzling' pattern forming an 'eye' in the lower half for warding off evil spirits. The upper zig-zags remind me of flowing water. An exceptional and highly collectible bag. Size: 51cm x 27cm (1' 8" x 11").

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